

## SEEKS WILSON'S AID FOR BUDGET PLAN

Members of Special Committee  
to Appeal for Pressure in  
House Caucus.

President Wilson will be appealed to next week to bring pressure to bear on the Democratic House caucus to adopt the budget plan to be proposed by the special budget committee now meeting here. Denying that this committee is a "budget" committee, the members of the committee are likely to develop in the caucus unless the President gets behind the committee plan.

The appeal to the President will be made by the committee at a conference which will have with the President and members of his cabinet next week. Chairman Swanwick Sherry called at the White House today to make the appointment. He did not see the President, but left his request with Secretary Tamm.

**Hope For Definite Plan.**

The House caucus will meet here Saturday before Congress opens. By that time, Mr. Sherry said, he hoped that the committee would have a definite plan to propose, so that at this session, for the first time in the history of the country, something approaching a budget system will be inaugurated.

Before the committee now are two plans, one known as the Sherry plan and the other the product of Chairman John J. Fitzgerald, of the Appropriations Committee. It was stated today by a member of the committee that virtually all except Mr. Fitzgerald were inclined to believe that the Fitzgerald plan was impractical, and that Sherry plan might come out. His plan provides that the Appropriations Committee alone should consider all money bills, after the other committees, such as Military Affairs, Naval Affairs, Postoffice, etc., have passed on their respective bills, and the conclusions of the Appropriations Committee submitted to the House as a whole.

**Committee of Thirty.**

The Sherry plan provides for the creation of a standing budget committee of thirty men made up of the chairmen and ranking Republican members of the various other committees concerned with appropriations and three additional Democratic members, each from the Ways and Means and the Appropriations committees.

All departmental estimates, on being received in the House, would be submitted to the budget committee, which would get from department heads the prospective revenue of the government and the policy upon which each department has built its estimates. The budget committee, considering only total amounts, would present its report, probably majority and minority reports—in the form of a balance sheet or sheets to the House as a Committee of the Whole.

**Would Mean General Debate.**

After arriving at a conclusion on totals, the committee of the whole would refer the separate estimates back to the respective subcommittees dealing with the several matters, limiting these subcommittees only to the maximum totals agreed on. In this way, Mr. Sherry thinks, the country at the very outset of the session would be brought to a general debate on fiscal matters and would know just what to expect. It is conceded by the friends of the Sherry plan that strong opposition will develop in the Democratic caucus from members who will be disposed to criticize the scheme of the government. It provides too great a concentration of power in the proposed budget committee, and would prevent a general share in the benefits from the bills passed. For this reason it is deemed absolutely necessary that the Democratic caucus shall be made to get behind the plan and pledge reluctant members to support it.

## GUATEMALA PEACE RECORD IS UNBROKEN

President Cabrera Declares  
Country Is in Perfect Tran-  
quillity—Accuses Enemies.

Guatemala's record for twenty years of peace is still unbroken, despite reports of revolution and defeat of the government forces, according to a private cablegram received in Washington today from President Estrada Cabrera at Guatemala City.

Reports from the governor of the state of Chiapas, Mexico, which borders Guatemala, stating that the revolutionists in the latter country had gained a decisive victory over the government forces at Valle de Ixtatan, inflicting severe losses, are branded by the Guatemalan President as pure fabrications, circulated with a view of discrediting him and the country.

It is pointed out that there is no such place as Valle de Ixtatan in Guatemala. The only place bearing a similar name is Ixtapacan, in the department of Huehuetenango, a small Indian village, which is so situated by reason of its mountainous character of country that it could not be reached from Mexico except by passing nearly 100 miles to the south, near the Pacific ocean. The Guatemalan government maintains an efficient border patrol there, and the United States Navy Department has a cruiser stationed near the coast, a seaport town only a few miles from the border, but the Navy Department has no advice concerning the reported battle.

President Cabrera's cablegram, received here today, follows: "Guatemala is in perfect tranquillity, there being no armed opposition to the government. The efforts of traitor enemies to create apprehension consist only in bombastic proclamations on the frontier, following the defeat and dispersal of the late invaders. The constituted authorities are prepared for any move, great or small, and are amply competent to maintain order throughout the country."

Concerning the government's preparedness, it was said today that the United States military attaché report shows Guatemala has an efficient army, consisting of 15,000 infantry, 3,000 cavalry, 10 batteries of artillery, and the largest supply of reserve ammunition in Central America.

**Tita Ruffo a Passenger  
On the Torpedoed Ancona**

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—It is reported here that Tita Ruffo, the famous baritone and member of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, was a passenger on the Italian liner Ancona, from Genoa to New York, reported sunk by an Austrian submarine.

## Georgetown Graduate Assumes Duties as Aide To District Attorney Here



WILLIAM E. LEAHY.

William E. Leahy today assumed the duties of Assistant United States Attorney, filling the vacancy in the corps of District Attorney Leahy made by the resignation of Charles Hendrich. Mr. Leahy has been a member of the District bar since 1912, when he was graduated from Georgetown University Law School. In 1913 he took a post-graduate course, and has since been practicing law in the office of Former District Attorney Daniel W. Baker.

The new District official is a native of Monson, Mass., where he was born in 1888. He attended Monson Academy in 1905, and took his A. B. degree at Holy Cross College, in Worcester, Mass., in 1907. He entered Georgetown University upon removing to Washington in 1909. He is instructor in criminal law at Georgetown, serving under District Attorney Leahy, who is professor of criminal law at the institution.

## TELLS COURT HER HUSBAND IS NEGRO

Anna J. Linney Seeks Separate  
Support and Maintenance.  
Declares She Was Deceived.

Thomas L. Linney is required to appear in Equity Court, No. 2, November 19 and show cause why all the property of the couple should be sold to pay the wife's claim. Anna J. Linney, according to an order issued today by Justice McCoy, the rule was given by the court on the petition of Mrs. Linney, who seeks separate support and maintenance on the grounds that the defendant deceived her in the giving of his name. The petition recites that the couple were married in Philadelphia, December 17, 1913, and that shortly before the birth of their son in October, 1914, the plaintiff, who is a white woman, made the "embarrassing discovery" that he was a negro and had been deceived as to his nationality.

**Husband's Income \$3,500.**

The defendant is declared in the petition to have property in the District valued at \$31,065, and that his annual income therefrom is \$3,500.

The plaintiff maintains that she and her son have been ostracized by relatives and former friends, and she prays the court to require the defendant to furnish her with a separate home and maintenance, and that the judgment be made a lien on his property. The petition was filed by Attorney William L. Hawkins and A. W. Gray.

Justice Anderson issued a rule today requiring J. B. Lewis, a machanic at the navy yard, to show cause why temporary alimony should not be paid his wife, Beulah M. Lewis, who seeks a limited divorce on the grounds of non-support and cruelty. The rule is answerable November 12.

**Asks Separate Maintenance.**

In her petition, which was filed by Attorney Wilton J. Lambert and Frederick R. Whipple, the plaintiff declares that she was married at the age of seventeen years to the defendant in Rockville on September 2, 1913, without the knowledge of her parents. When the facts became known to her parents, they persuaded her to stay at home, "as some time thereafter she had been married in Jersey City, N. J., to one Robert J. Walton, which marriage was in the course of annulment." The petition further recites that the first marriage was annulled on April 1, 1914, on the ground that the plaintiff was only fifteen years of age when it was contracted, and that on May 2, 1914, the petitioner and defendant went through the marriage ceremony in Baltimore. Separate maintenance is sought in the petition.

## Grain Steamer Grounds.

DETROIT, Nov. 10.—The steamer W. P. Snyder, Jr., with 400,000 bushels of wheat in her hold, the largest cargo of grain ever loaded into a great lakes carrier, ran aground late yesterday below the ship canal in Lake St. Clair. A tug was sent to assist in releasing the vessel.

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## BULGARIA KEEPS GREECE FROM WAR

Pledge to Respect Territory Ac-  
cepted — Agreement Is  
Reached, Athens Hears.

(Continued from First Page.)

The French at Veles, have captured the Bulgarian positions in the Dolan district, eight miles north of the Gracov-Serbian frontier at the point where it is crossed by the railroad and eighteen miles south of the southwestern Bulgarian town of Strumitza.

Veles, now held by the French, is on the Nish-Salonika railroad. Fifty-five miles northwest from the point where the railroad crosses the Gracov-Serbian frontier.

The Bulgarian position at Veles has been extremely precarious for several hours. The superiority of the French artillery placed the Bulgars at a disadvantage.

Serbs descending on the Bulgarians through the Kuchanik defiles, east of Priared, have also heavily defeated a Bulgarian force which was advancing from Uskub against Priared.

Uskub is near the Nish-Salonika railroad, thirty miles northwest of Veles.

## Berlin Claims to Have Repulsed Russians At Both Ends of Line

BERLIN (via London), Nov. 10.—"We have repulsed the Russians everywhere," the war office announced today.

The Muscovite forces had been directing fierce attacks at both the northern and southern extremities of the Austro-German eastern line and engaged in preliminary skirmishing at the center.

"The Russian advance west of Riga against Kemmer," said the official statement, "has been stopped."

"Strong Russian assaults on Jacobstadt have been repulsed also and some prisoners were taken by the Germans."

"Attentions by the Russian forces to break through our lines north of Budka and west of Chortoryak were repulsed by East Prussian, Russian, and Austrian regiments in this district. The attacks forced the Russians back into former positions."

Fresh forces of Austro-German and Bulgarian troops have effected a junction at Viashe, in the Serbian region along the Orient railroad. They are co-operating to put an end to guerrilla fighting and hasten a resumption of train operation.

Detaching forces from the army around Nish the Bulgars pursued the Serbs to the southward into the Leskovac valley. Another body, far to the westward, near the Montenegrin frontier, is operating in the Kosovo Polje (plain of the black birds) with a view to closing the Serbians last avenue of escape.

In the Prilep region, the French have suffered a repulse by the Bulgars and much booty and many French prisoners are arriving already at Strumitza on the Bulgarian side of the frontier.

A strong Bulgarian force operating in southern Serbia, the French left wing on the Greek frontier, forcing it to retreat at several points. The losses on both sides were extremely heavy. Allied reinforcements are reported on their way from Salonika to Doiran and Gyenyell.

## Peak's Capture Closes Austrian Door to Italy

MILAN, Nov. 10.—The taking of Col di Lana, a height of 8,084 feet by the Italian troops after four months' effort has caused great rejoicing by the Italian press. This guardian of the great Dolomite road is of the highest military importance.

Its possession with that of Sasso-Nirio and Piccolo Lagazuol and the destruction of the fort of Tagliero di Ruzza has now completely closed the two Austrian doors into Italy.

## Salvage French Submarine

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The French submarine Turquoise, which was damaged by Turkish artillery fire, has been hauled off the point where she went ashore and has been taken to Constantinople and renamed, according to a Constantinople dispatch.

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## RESERVE ARMY BILL MAY BE MODIFIED

Criticism by Democratic Con-  
gressmen May Cause Adop-  
tion of Compromise.

Criticism growing among Democratic members of Congress against the Administration's proposal for raising a reserve army of 400,000 citizen-soldiers has resulted in a compromise bill that may be proposed by friends of the Administration in Congress.

According to the scheme proposed by Secretary Garrison, the reserve army would be raised in three installments, a man enlisting for six years, three with the colors and three on reserve. During the term with the colors he would be required to give annually sixty days of his time to intensive military instruction.

**May Change Plan.**

Some of the strongest friends of the Administration, reaching Washington, have expressed grave doubts as to the ability of the Government to get 400,000 men from business and trades annually for sixty-day periods. As a result of this, the suggestion has been made and is receiving serious consideration that the plan be changed to provide for one solid year of training and only one with the colors, the recruits being obtained from young men of eighteen years of age.

Speaker Champ Clark has wired President Wilson warmly congratulating him on his Manhattan Club speech outlining the military and naval expansion policy of the Administration. In view of the long standing animosity between the Speaker and former Secretary of State Bryan, who criticized the President's speech adversely, it is expected that this winter will find the President and Speaker Clark lined up in closer friendship than heretofore manifested.

## Sherley For Army Bill.

Congressman Swanwick Sherry of Kentucky, who was reported to have been against the Administration's naval policy, today denied the charge emphatically, stating that far from being against it, he would rather see the bill, in which, as chairman of the Fortifications Committee, he is particularly interested, so by the board.

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than to see the navy bill defeated. "If there is one thing," he said, "behind which the public appeared to stand solidly, it is the proposition to increase the navy. As far as the general public is at all informed on military and naval matters, it feels that the navy is primarily the nation's natural arm of defense; that there is nothing of domestic domination to be feared from ships at sea; and that, after all, the navy appeals more to the imagination."

## Identification Tags Urged by Braisted

Surgeon General Braisted, of the navy, in his annual report makes a strong recommendation to Secretary Daniels that officers and sailors of the navy be required to use identification tags.

Pointing out that this would necessarily be done in war time, Surgeon General Braisted holds that such tags as submarine cruising, aeroplane work and other naval duties make it needful that the personnel be identified.

## Russ Cabinet Change.

PETROGRAD (via London), Nov. 10.—Minister of Agriculture Krivosheina has been relieved of his post at his own request. It is announced, for "reasons of health."

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charge of Secretary Daniels' building program.

In the Senate, Chairman Chamberlain of the Military Committee will yield leadership on the naval bill, probably to Senator Swanson of Virginia. Administration leaders feel, has disqualified himself so far as the defense bills are concerned because of his refusal to support the Administration's naval program. Senator Kern is also regarded as lukewarm toward the program, having, it is said, given statements in Indiana opposing a big program before he more recently announced himself for it.

## Henry Gilbert Class Guests at Banquet

Members of the Henry Gilbert class of the Fourth Presbyterian Church were the guests at a banquet given last evening in the dining room at the church. The banquet was followed by a business meeting. Karl S. Reed presented the class with a recorder's book. An invitation to join the Phi Mu Sigma fraternity was declined. This is the fourth time the invitation has been received and rejected by the class.

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